

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 35 and 46. Please cancel claims 36, 38-45, 49, 50 and 56-70. Please carry forward claims 37, 47, 48, 51-55 and 71, all as follows:

35. (Amended) A device for drawing in at least one paper web in a web-fed rotary printing press, said device comprising:

a paper web draw-in ~~for drawing in a paper web along a web transport~~ path;

a plurality of spikes permanently attached to said paper web draw-in, said spikes being adapted to penetrate through a paper web during drawing in of a paper web along a web transport path in a web-fed rotary printing press; and

means for causing said spikes to penetrate a the paper web only during said drawing ~~[[draw-]]~~ in of a the paper web into a web-fed rotary printing press along a web transport and for removing said spikes from penetration of a paper web upon completion of said drawing in of a paper web along a web transport path.

36. (Cancelled)

37. (Previously added) The device of claim 35 wherein said paper web draw-in can be moved between a web path in which said spikes penetrate a paper web and a storage path in which said spikes do not penetrate a paper web.

38-45. (Cancelled)

46. (Amended) The device of claim 35 wherein said paper draw-in means is a belt.

47. (Previously Added) The device of claim 46 wherein said belt is metallic.

48. (Previously Added) The device of claim 46 wherein said belt is non-metallic.

49-50. (Cancelled)

51. (Previously Added) The device of claim 35 wherein said draw-in has a finite length.

52. (Previously Added) The device of claim 35 further including paper web retention devices on said spikes.

53. (Previously Added) The device of claim 52 wherein said retention device is a barb.

54. (Previously Added) The device of 35 further including a longitudinal folding apparatus having a hopper insertion plate with a guide and wherein said draw-in is movably arranged on said guide.

55. (Previously Added) The device of claim 35 wherein said draw-in has said spikes on at least a portion of its length.

56 -70. (Cancelled)

71. The device of claim 35 wherein said plurality of spikes are spaced apart on said draw-in over its length.

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